

NEW GENERIC NAMES FOR UPPER CRETACEOUS GASTROPODA.

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In a recent paper entitled *New and Little Known Gastropoda from the Upper Cretaceous of Tennessee*, published in the Proceedings of The Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia for September, 1917, pp. 280-304, there were several errors which crept in because of the necessity of preparing the paper for publication after the writer left Baltimore and had entered the U. S. Artillery service.

It is the purpose of this brief note to rectify these mistakes and omissions. The family name *Fusidæ* should have been inserted over the genus *Falsifusus* on page 284, and similarly the family name *Busyconidæ* should have been inserted over the genus *Boltenella* on page 285.

The generic term *Hyllus* (page 281) has been found to be much preoccupied and the new name *Parafusus* is here proposed to take its place, the type thus becoming *Parafusus callilateras* and the second species, *Parafusus coloratus*. Similarly the term *Scobina* (page 286) is preoccupied and for the latter the name *Haplovoluta* is proposed, the type species becoming *Haplovoluta bicarinata*. The new Buccinoid genus *Seminola* is not regarded as being preoccupied by the Coleopteroid genus *Seminolus* of Mulsant (1869) although the two are dangerously alike and a different term would have been proposed in the first instance if the writer had been aware of Mulsant's genus.